In the Drawings:

Please amend FIG. 1 to include the text "Bulk Storage", "Processor", "Regulating Assembly", "Main Memory" and "Fixed Value Memory" for the boxes labeled 1, 3, 6, 4 and 5, respectively.

Please amend FIG. 2 to include the text "Application", "Process", "Thread" and "Module" for the circles labeled 10-21.

The additions have been indicated in red ink. Furthermore, it is not believed that the corrections involve new matter. Accordingly, please indicate whether the corrections are acceptable in the next Office Action.

REMARKS

On December 30, 2004, a Notice of Allowance was mailed for the above-mentioned application that presented objections to the drawings. In particular, the Notice of Allowance objected to the drawings for lacking text for the various boxes and circles that are labeled with numerals. The present proposed amendment to the drawings adds text to the boxes and circles of FIGS. 1 and 2. Accordingly, the objection has been overcome and should be withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

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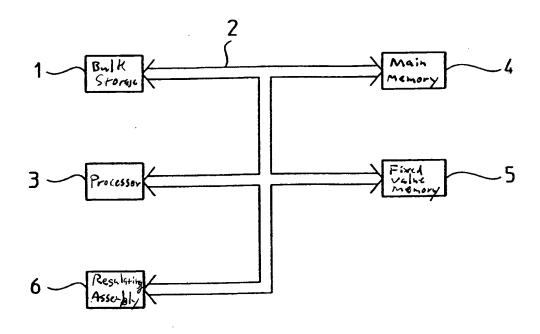
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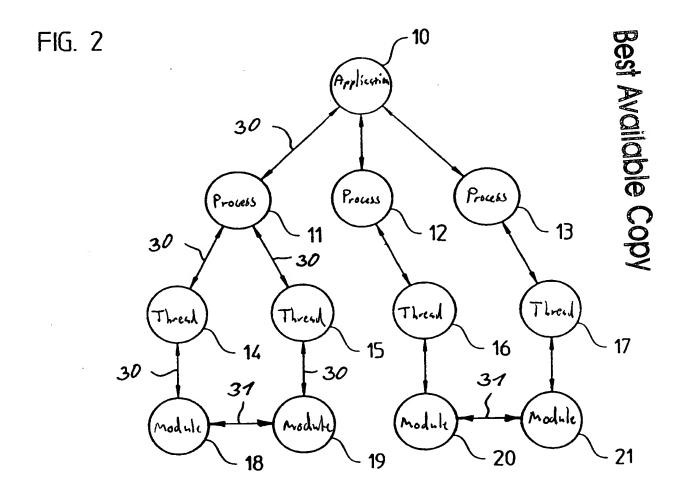
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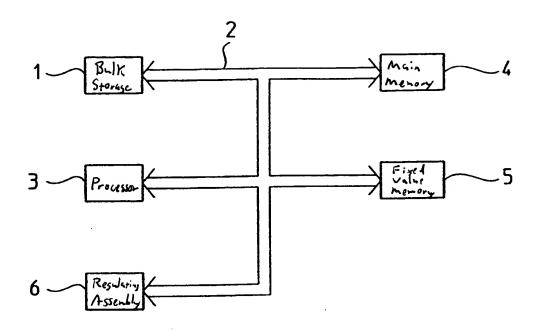
FIG. 1





Replacement Sheet





10 FIG. 2 Application 30 Process Process Process - 13 12 30 30 Thread Thread Thread Thread 17 - 15 16 14 30 30 31 31 module 21 19 20 - 18